### Area Highlights

Little Indian Creek Conservation Area straddles the Franklin-Washington county line. Facilities include an unmanned shooting range, multi-use trails, 12 unimproved camping spots and three single privies. Little Indian Creek flows through the area for .6 mile.

Directions: *North entrance:* South on Route K (off Highway 30), across the Meramec River, and ½ mile to the left on Old Route K to Little Indian Creek Road. Follow this road 3½ miles and watch for the area sign. *South entrance to shooting range:* From Highway 44, go south on Highway 185 for 7 miles to Route A, then east on Route A for 6 miles and watch for the sign.

# **Recreational Opportunities**

Bicycling – Camping – Fishing – Hiking Horseback Riding – Hunting – Shooting

Conservation Areas are closed from 10 p.m. to 4 a.m. except for authorized camping, fishing and hunting activities.

- · No fireworks.
- No littering. Waste containers may be used only for disposal of trash generated on area.
- Open fires are prohibited except in designated camping areas.
- Dogs must be leashed when not used for training or hunting.
- Nuts, berries, fruits, mushrooms and wild greens may be taken for personal use. Cutting or removing other vegetation is prohibited.
- Motor vehicles are allowed on public roadways and in parking areas.
- Designated multi-use trails are open to bicycling, horses and/or horseback riding except during all portions of the firearms deer-hunting season and the spring turkey-hunting season. Groups of more than 10 people must obtain a special-use permit.
- No overnighting of horses.
- Camping is limited to 14 consecutive days in a 30-day period. Groups of more than 10 campers need a special-use permit.
- Target and trap shooting are permitted only at the shooting range. The range is closed on Mondays.

Fishing and frogging are allowed under statewide regulations with the following exceptions:

• Special area regulations apply to pond fishing.

## **Hunting and Trapping**

Hunting is allowed under statewide regulations with the following exceptions:

- Antlered or antlerless deer may be taken on an Archer's Hunting Permit. Only antlered deer may be taken during the youth, November and muzzleloader portions of the firearms deer season. No archery antlerless or firearms antlerless permits may be used. Closed to firearms deer hunting during the urban counties and antlerless portions. All other statewide deer seasons and limits apply.
- In the Franklin County portion of the area, only bucks with at least 4 points on one side of their rack may be taken during the firearms and archery seasons, except for the firearms youth portions, when any buck with at least one antler a minimum of 3 inches in length is legal.
- Only portable tree stands are allowed and only from September 1 through January 31. Unattended stands must be plainly labeled on a durable material with the full name and address, or Conservation Number, of the owner and be removed from the area before February 1. Use of nails, screw-in steps and any material or method that would damage the tree is prohibited.
- Furbearer trapping is permitted by special-use permit.

#### For local information, contact:

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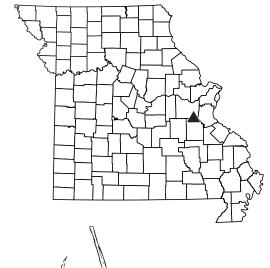
Additional area information is posted on bulletin boards located in parking areas and area offices.

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(Regulations are from the Wildlife Code of Missouri and selected statutes of the State of Missouri. Special area regulations are in Chapter 11 of the Wildlife Code. A free printed copy of the Wildlife Code, which lists most area regulations, is available from the Conservation Department. Chapter 11 in its entirety is available at www.sos.mo.gov/adrules/sr/current/3csr/3csr.asp.) Equal opportunity to participate in and benefit from programs of the Missouri Department of Conservation is available to all individuals without regard to their race, colon, national origin, sex. age or disability, Questions should be directed to the Department of Conservation, P.O. Box 180, Jefferson City, MO 65102, (573) 751-4115 (wice) or 800-735-2966 (TTY), or to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Division of Federal Assistance, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Mail Stopy (MSSP 4020, Arlington, VA 22203.

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